

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph starting from page 2, line 11 with the following amended paragraph:

--Consequently, in the conventional oil-impregnated sintered bearing, the bearing hole is formed to have a journal part that supports the rotating shaft and enlarged diameter parts that are connected with the journal part and have constant diameters to be enlarged toward the tips thereof. Furthermore, the enlarged diameter parts are formed to have sintering density higher than that of the journal part in order to suppress deviation from the center of the rotating shaft (for example, see Japanese Laid-OpenUnexamined Patent Application Publication No. 8-19941(1996)64-030922).--